Practice Alert



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Family Support Team Meetings

Show Me Healthy Kids Care Manager Participation and Support

Show Me Healthy Kids (SMHK) Care Managers are available to participate in a child's Family Support Team Meeting starting November 1. A SMHK Care Manager is assigned to each child/youth enrolled in the specialty plan and is responsible for coordinating and managing all aspects of the child's health – physical, behavioral, and social.

As a participant in a Family Support Team Meeting, the Care Manager can provide information on the SMHK managed care plan, plan benefits, resources, health care education, and other available supports to the CD/FCCM case manager and resource parent, based on the child's specific needs.

Consider inviting the SMHK Care Manager to:

- The 72-hour FSTM when the child presents with urgent needs, for example:
 - Recent or current medical or behavioral health hospitalization
 - High health needs (i.e., requires private duty nursing)
 - Complex physical or behavioral health needs
- The 30-day FSTM when the child or resource family present with urgent care or support needs. The CM can discuss and review the child's health status and care plan, provide education around the child's health condition and treatment/service needs, and discuss targeted plan benefits and supports for the child, resource family, and case manager.
- Placement Stability FSTMs, and other FSTMs when the child presents with urgent care or support needs, and if the youth, family, or case manager desire Care Manager participation.

To request the Care Manager's participation:

- Email or send a calendar invite to <u>HSH_Anchors@homestatehealth.com</u>
- Include the child's name and DCN
- Include case manager contact information (phone and/or email)
- SMHK will contact the case manager to confirm attendance and survey for any child-specific needs, resources, or information.